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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Showell et al.:

Serial No. 09/889,254

Confirmation No. Not Yet Assigned

Filed July 13, 2001

For:

DETERGENT TABLETS COMPRISING A PECTATE LYASE

COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS

Box Missing Parts

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This paper is being filed in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed August 23, 2001. A copy is enclosed for your convenience. Applicant respectfully asserts that no sequence listing is required in the present application and the request is made in error.

Applicant respectfully requests that the requirement be withdrawn.

Respectfully submitted,

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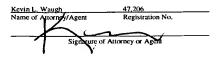
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING

REQUIREMENTS for the patent application:

Inventor(s): Showell et al.

Serial No.: 09/889,254

Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned

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- 1. [X] No additional fee is known to be required.
- 2. [] The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY	
	CLAIMS					
	REMAINING		HIGHEST NO.			
	AFTER	Ì	PREVIOUSLY	PRESENT		
	AMENDMENT	·	PAID FOR	EXTRA*	RATE	FEE
TOTAL	*	MINUS	**	=	x \$18 =	\$
INDEP.	*	MINUS	***	=	x \$80 =	\$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					+ \$270 =	\$
					TOTAL	\$

- 3. [] The Commissioner is hereby petitioned under 37 CFR §1.136(a) to grant any extension of time needed for timely response to the Office Action dated in the above-identified application to preserve pendency of said application. The processing fee under 37 CFR §1.17 has been determined as follows: \$ for a month extension of time.
- 4. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-2480. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
 - a. [x] Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR §1.16.
 - b. [x] Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17.
- 5. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to make any additional copies of this sheet needed to accomplish the purposes provided for herein and to charge any fee for such copies to Deposit Account No. 16-2480.

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STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

1. The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark
Office as a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494) an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):
U.S. Basic National Fee. Indication of Small Entity Status.
Copy of the international application. Translation of the international application into English.
Oath or Declaration of inventors(s). Translation of Article 19 amendments into English.
Copy of Article 19 amendments. Other:
Priority Document.
The International Preliminary Examination Report in English and its Annexes, if any
Translation of Annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report into English.
2. [] Applicant has requested early processing under 35 U.S.C. 371(f) but has not filed the following indicated items and/or
the indicated items in paragraph 3 below. The Basic National Fee and the copy of the international application must be filed
prior to 20 or 30 months from the priority date to avoid abandonment.
U.S. Basic National Fee. Copy of the international application.
3. The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for
acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371: [] a. Translation of the application into English. A processing fee will be required if submitted
later than the appropriate 20 or 30 months from the priority date.
The current translation is defective for the reasons indicated on the attached Notice of Defective
Translation.
b. Processing fee for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than the
appropriate 20 or 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).
c. Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), properly identifying
the application (preferably by the International application number and international filing date). A surcharge will be required if submitted later than the appropriate 20 or 30 months from the priority
date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) for the reasons
indicated on the attached PCT/DO/EO/917.
d. Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than the appropriate 20 or 30 months from the
priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)). 4. Additional claim fees of \$ as a _ large entity _ small entity, including any required multiple dependent
claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are
due (37 CFR 1.492(g)). See attached PTO-875.
5. [N] Applicant has not submitted the required sequence listing pursuant to 37 CFR 1.821-1.825. See attached

PCT/DO/EO/920.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH IN 3(a)-3(d), 4 AND 5 ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 OR 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

6. If box 3a or 3c is checked, a translation of the Annexes MUST be submitted no later than the time period set above or the Annexes will be cancelled. A processing fee will be required if submitted later than 20 or 30 months from the priority date. 7. The Article 19 amendments are cancelled since a translation was not provided by the appropriate 20 (37 CFR 1.494(d))

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(703) 308-4216, for Rules interpretation, (703) 308-4212, for CRF submission help,

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NOTIFICATION TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCE DISCLOSURES

Applicant has submitted papers under 35 U.S.C. 371 to enter the national stage in the United States of America. The items indicated below, however, are missing. The period within which to correct the deficiency noted below and avoid abandonment is set forth in the accompanying Notification.

The nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosure contained in this application does not comply with the requirements for such a disclosure as set forth in 37 CFR 1.821-1.825 for the following reason(s):

The application fails to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.821-1.825.
my transfer does not contain a "Sequence Listing" as a senarate part of the
disclosure on paper copy or compact disc, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(c).
A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable format has not been submitted as
required by 37 CFR 1.821(e).
A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has been submitted. The
content of the computer readable form, however, does not comply with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.822 and/or 1.832, as indicated on the attached marked-up copy of the "Raw
Sequence Listing."
The computer readable form that has been filed with this application has been found to be
damaged and/or unreadable as indicated on the attached CRF Diskette Problem Report. A substitute computer readable form must be submitted as required by 37 CFR 1.825(d).
The paper copy or compact disc of the "Sequence Listing" is not the same as the
computer readable form of the "Sequence Listing" as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e).
Other:
APPLICANT MUST PROVIDE:
An initial or substitute computer readable form (CRF) of the "Sequence Listing."
An initial or substitute paper copy or compact disc of the "Sequence Listing," as well as an
amendment directing its entry into the specification.
A statement that the contents of the paper or compact disc and the computer readable form
are the same and, where applicable, include no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b) or 1.825(d).
FOR QUESTIONS REGARDING COMPLIANCE WITH THESE REQUIREMENTS, PLEASE